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SUBJECT: PL 480 RICE

1. PER TELCONS COMMANDER WEAVER, CINCPAC/DAN TIERNEY, USDA, FOLLOWING ACTION ALREADY TAKEN RE FRUSTRATED PL 480 TITLE I RICE EX-S.S. CHIEH CHUAN DISCHARGED GUAM FOR REFUGEE FEEDING AND NOW SUBJECT TO U.S. TREASURY'S FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL REGULATIONS. ORIGINALLY, 2,500 TONS RICE DISCHARGED GUAM. HOWEVER, IT NOW APPEARS THAT ONLY ABOUT 500 TONS WILL BE NEEDED TO SUPPORT FEEDING PROGRAM. USDA, PURSUANT TO U.S. TREASURY AUTHORIZATION UNDER FOREIGN ASSETS CONTROL REGULATIONS, HAS SOLD SIMILAR FRUSTRATED CARGOES ON AN "AS IS, WHERE IS" BASIS. UPON CONFIRMATION UNCLASSIFIED

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OF QUANTITY AND QUALITY OF EXCESS RICE, OUR PLANS ARE TO DO SAME WITH THIS CARGO.

2. USDA GRAIN INSPECTOR SCOTT HARTMAN NOW IN FAR EAST WAS

DIRECTED ON JULY 9 TO PROCEED GUAM TO DISCUSS SUPPLY
SITUATION WITH AUTHORITIES, OBTAIN RICE SAMPLES AND BE
PREPARED UPON RETURN TO U.S. ABOUT JULY 16 TO RECOMMEND
DISPOSITION OF REMAINING RICE. WE PLAN TO AUTHORIZE AGATT
GLENN SAMSON, AMEMBASSY/MANILA, TO OFFER RICE FOR SALE TO
ELIGIBLE BUYERS. HOWEVER, THIS DEPENDENT ON HARTMAN REPORT.

3 YOUR COOPERATION AND ASSISTANCE APPRECIATED. CINCPAC
WILL BE INFORMED OF ALL ACTIONS RE DISPOSITION FRUSTRATED
RICE NOW IN GUAM FYI: PROCEEDS OF SALE REVERT TO
TREASURY DEPARTMENT UNDER ABOVE-MENTIONED REGULATIONS,
LESS ANY CHARGES AGAINST THE CARGOES. END FYI INGERSOLL

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